

# Promoting container trade growth in the Middle East through infrastructure transformation

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# Today's Agenda

Intro to Roland Berger

Global maritime trends

Maritime and port trends in the region

Regional infrastructure transformation

Implications for KSA











# We have deep experience and expertise in supporting ports and maritime sector development around the world

Selected Roland Berger clients in ports and shipping



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We have deep global port planning and development experience

We have a Global Ports
Practice

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## Roland Berger offers an integrated approach and specialized services for ports all over the world

#### Our service offerings

#### 1. Port policy & regulation

- > Malaysia
- > Pakistan
- > Tunisia
- > Ukraine
- > Hungary
- > Thailand
- > Indonesia
- > Myanmar
- > Morocco
- > Iran

#### 2. Port planning & development

- > Iran
- > Malaysia
- > Indonesia
- > Pakistan
- > Bahrain
- > Netherlands
- > Maldives
- > China
- > Taiwan
- > Vietnam
- > Thailand
- > Saudi Arabia
- > Russia
- > Ukraine
- > Morocco

#### 3. Port business



- > Malaysia
- > Indonesia
- > Pakistan
- > Maldives
- > China
- > Netherlands
- > Singapore
- > Japan
- > Cambodia
- > Vietnam
- > Thailand
- > South Korea
- > Germany
- > Belgium

#### 4. Port operations



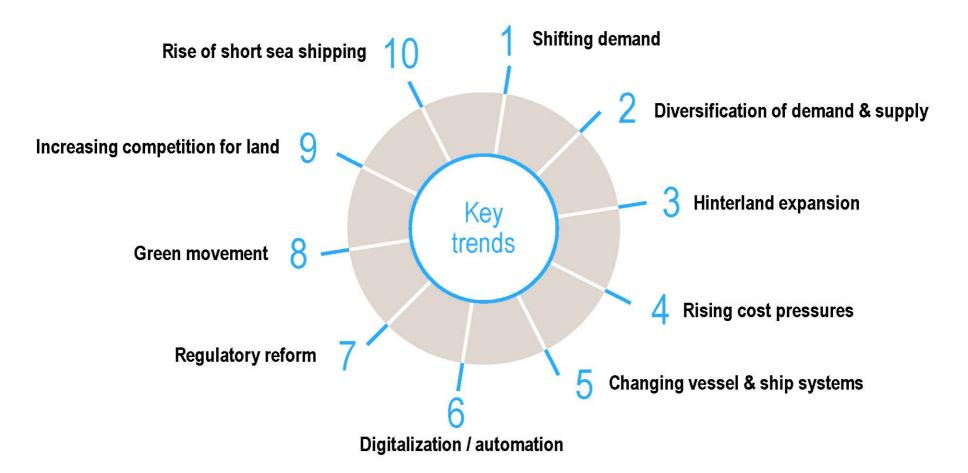
- > Malaysia
- > Indonesia
- > China
- > France
- > Russia
- > Ukraine
- > Estonia





# The growing demand puts continuous pressure on ports – including in the Persian Gulf – to adapt to changing market conditions

Ten global mega trends & challenges in ports



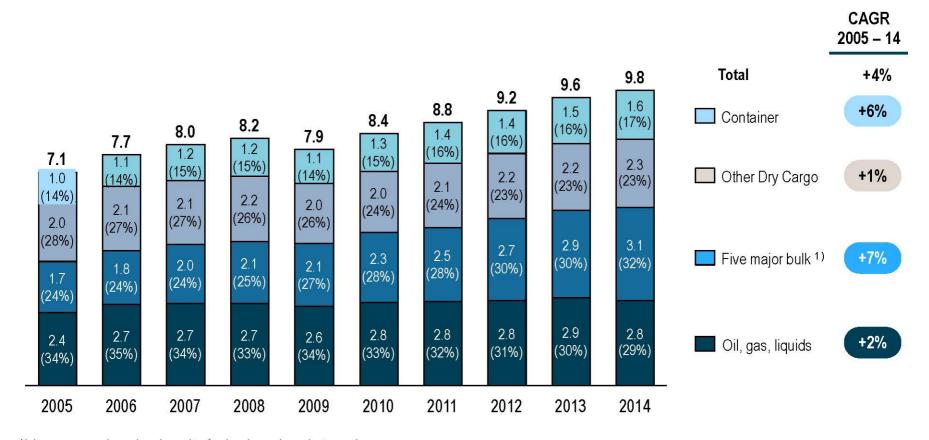
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# In tonnage terms, global maritime trade has grown by about 4% per year during 2005 – 2014 – well below the long term average

International seaborne trade [bn tonnes loaded]



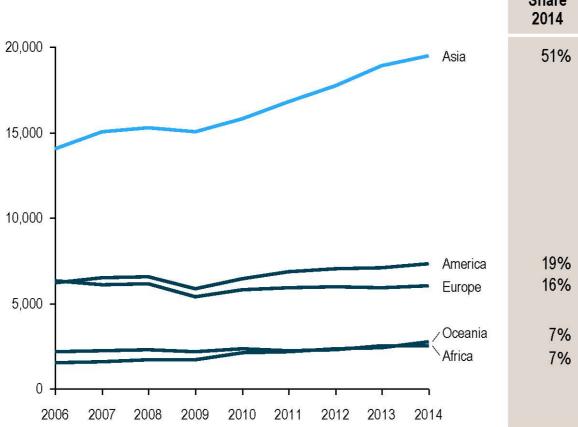
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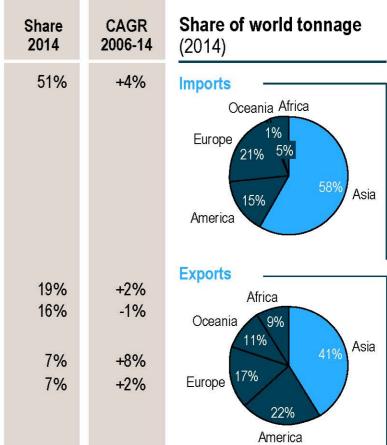




#### Asia is the dominant region in the global maritime trade

Global maritime trade [2006-2014, mln MT]





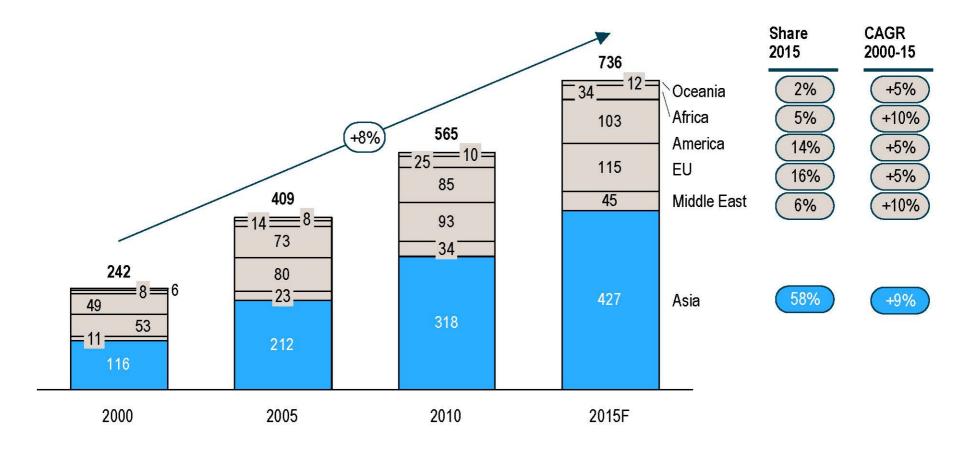
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# Asia dominates in particular in the container segments, with 58% of all containers moving through Asian ports

Global containerized trade [2000-2015, TEUm]

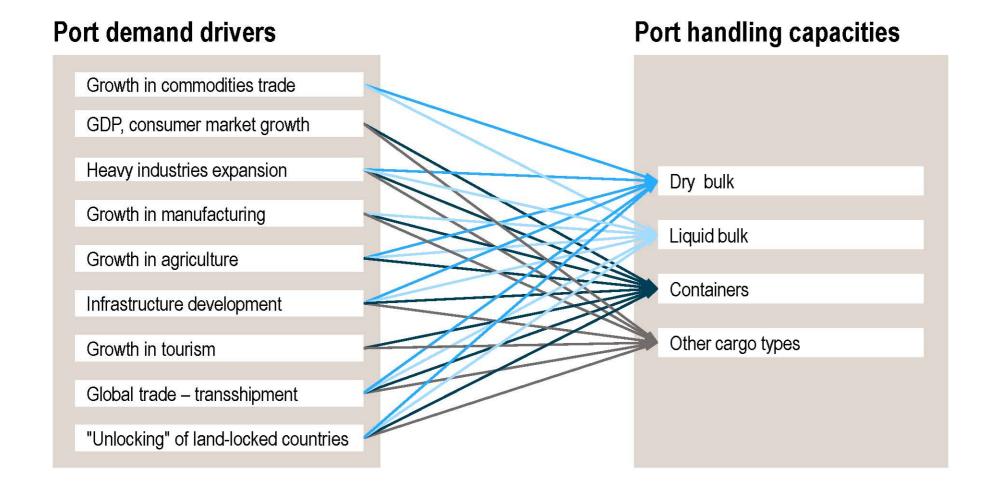


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## Demand for port handling capacities is continuously evolving everywhere, driven by global, regional and local economic trends



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# Global trade continues to grow, thus pushing demand for growth in port and shipping capacities and performance

Growth figures – income and trade

#### Global Gross National Income per capita [Current, USD '000]

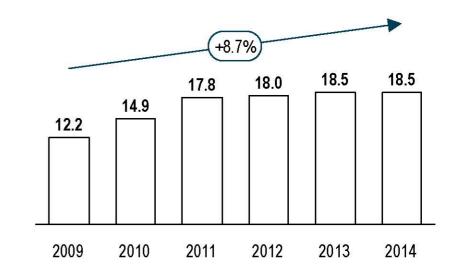
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#### Global trade – Value of goods exports [Real, USD tn]



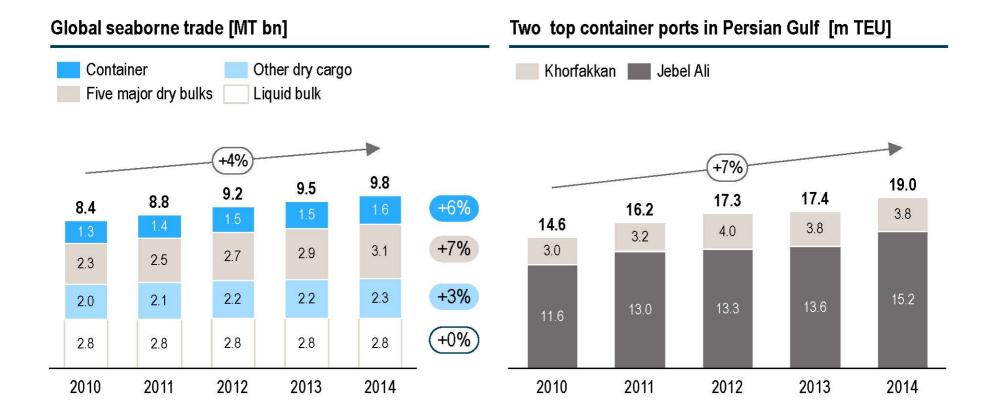
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# Growth in the container trade in the Gulf region has still been growing above the global average during the past few years

Overview of trade

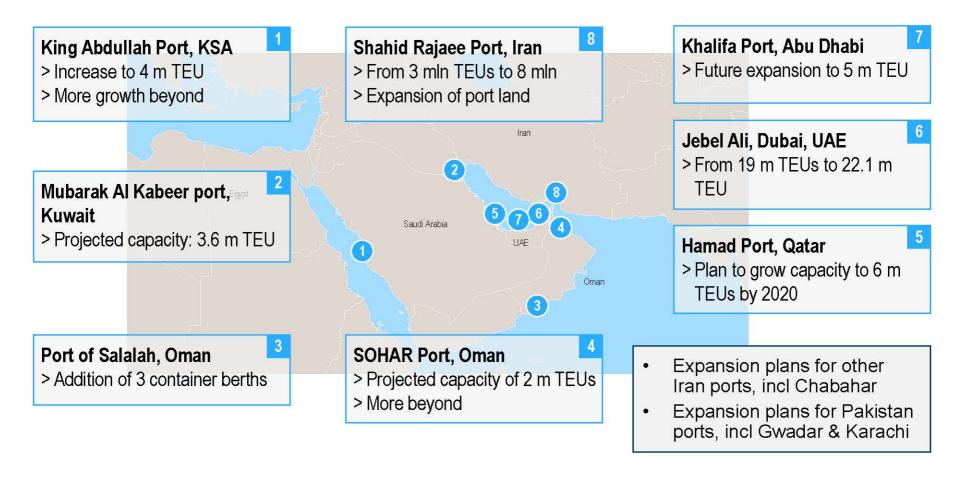






# Almost all countries around the Gulf intend or are planning to expand their container handling capacity aggressively

Overview of key ports' future expansion plans in the region







# Shahid Rajaee Port (SRP) is the second largest of Iran's seaports and a main international gateway for the country

Overview of main ports of Iran

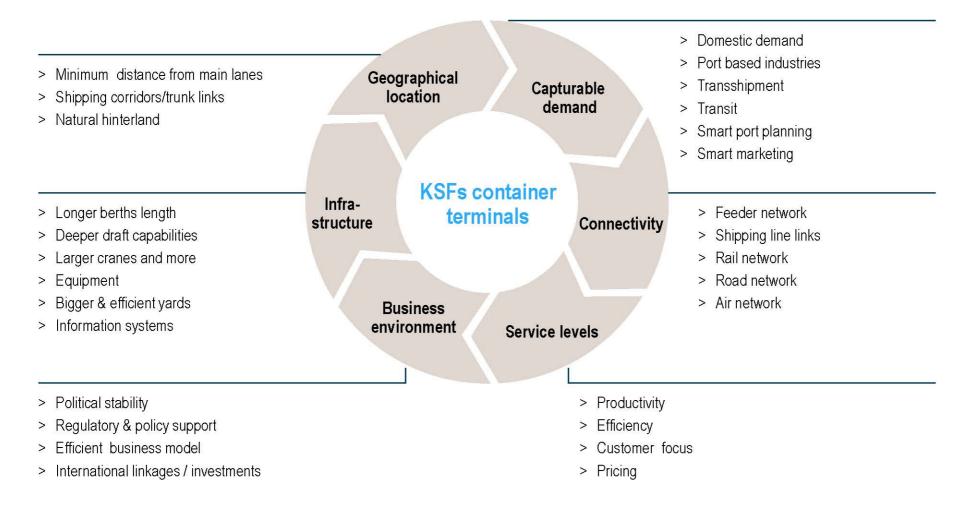
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# Clearly, competition amongst container terminals in the Gulf will intensify sharply in the coming 5 years – A race to the bottom

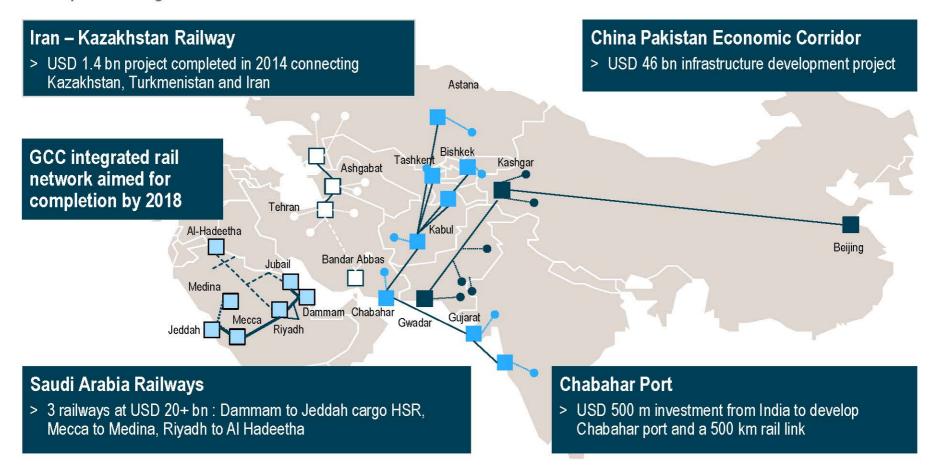






## Rapid expansion of transport infrastructure – including rail – throughout the region means hinterland expansion for some ports

Sample of regional and international infrastructure initiatives







# In KSA, several key projects will change the dynamics of its hinterland connectivity and its import and export port capacities

#### Key transport projects

#### Landbridge rail

- > First direct rail link between the Red Sea and the Gulf
- > Connecting Jeddah Riyadh Damman Jubail
- > Passenger and cargo transport in both directions

#### Haramain High Speed Rail

- > Linking Mecca Medina Jeddah KAEC
- > High speed
- > Pilgrims, regular travelers
- > Boost tourism

#### North-South railway line

- > Currently largest rail project in the world, 2400 km
- > Export facilities for phosphate and bauxite mines in the north

#### King Abdullah port expansion

- > Expansion of container capacity
- > Expansion of Ro-Ro capacity
- > Expansion of dry and liquid bulk capacities
- Should or could lead to accelerated growth of Jeddah port
- Should or could effect the competitive position of some of the Gulf ports
- Actual economic impact (for Jeddah port) will also depend on many other internal and external factors





# The new rail infra dev'ts will have significant economic impacts. But the impact on container transport patterns may well be limited

Transport – Infra development		Possible impacts	Complications
1	GCC railway network	> Additional transport mode for regional transshipment	> For containers, rail needs to compete with shipping, trucking, possibly Ro-Ro
2	Trans KSA rail development	> Reduction in regional transshipment in the Gulf	Many additional policies would be needed to create this change
3	Growing container capacity in Gulf	> Race to the bottom; few winners only	Many plans might still be shelved     New Ro-Ro and coastal shipping     policies might cause stronger decline
4	Red sea port expansion	> Jeddah may become a major (relay) transshipment point	> Salalah might respond > More peace might not help
5	Indian ocean port expansion	> Decline in relay transshipment in Gulf	> Depends strongly on oil price > Piracy must remain under control
6	Improving access to CIS	<ul><li>&gt; Iran and Pakistan ports benefits</li><li>&gt; Maritime trade in Gulf also benefit</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Silk route infra developments may undermine these trends</li> <li>Peace matters</li> </ul>



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